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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Response and Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated September 17, 2004. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to amend the present application as follows:

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper and include two replacement drawings attached to this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.